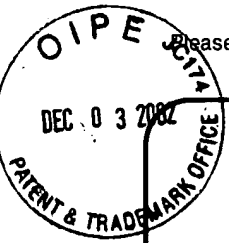


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DRAWING CORRECTION APPROVAL REQUEST

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Dear Sir:

Applicants respectfully request the Examiner's approval of the following drawing correction indicated in red ink on the attached sheet. The following is the correction.

In Fig. 2 insert the fixed reference mark and label it as "25".

No new matter has been entered via the drawing correction. Corrected formal drawings will be prepared in accordance with the Notice of Draftperson's Patent Drawing Review Form PTO-948 and will be filed upon approval by the Examiner and subsequent indication of allowance of the present application.

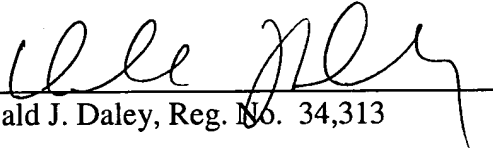
If there are any outstanding matters remaining in this application, the Examiner is invited to contact Donald J. Daley, Reg. No. 34,313, at the number listed below in the Washington, D.C. area in order to discuss these matters.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and further replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. **08-0750** for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

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